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FROM: DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

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FOR JEBLUG FROM WHITING

1. POINT RAISED YOUR MESSAGE DISCUSSED AT LENGTH WITH HENRY AND OTHER ODACID OFFICIALS SUNDAY AND MONDAY. THEY WERE SO CONVINCED OF ESSENTIALITY MAKING SOME STATEMENT OR RELEASE THAT WE DID NOT DEEM IT FEASIBLE OR DESIRABLE OBJECT. IN FACT WE SAW SOME ADVANTAGES OURSELVES. MAINLY WE WERE CONCERNED LEST ODACID SEEK TO CALL OFF [redacted] DIRECT ACTION AND CONCENTRATED OUR ARGUMENTS TO MAINTAIN PRESENT GO-AHEAD ON SPECIFIC FORMS OF ACTION SUCH AS YOU HAVE RECOMMENDED IN THE PAST. WE WERE ABLE MAINTAIN THIS POSITION AND I HOPE FOR THE BEST. WE SHALL SEE.

2. THERE HAS BEEN FURTHER HIGH LEVEL CONSIDERATION HERE CONCERNING STATUS MILITARY MISSIONS AND YOU MAY RPT MAY HEAR MORE ON THIS SOON FROM ODACID. MEANWHILE HOWEVER IS THERE ANY CHANCE THAT YOU COULD PREVAIL UPON MEMBERS OF MILITARY MISSIONS AND/OR ATTACHES TO OBTAIN AND REPORT INFORMATION CONCERNING ATTITUDE OF LOCAL ARMED FORCES CONCERNING THIS SHIPMENT. IT IS OUR CONCERN THAT ARMY MAY BECOME VERY BOOSTED BY THIS GOVERNMENT-PRODUCED TRANSFUSION AND THAT THIS DEVELOPMENT MAY TEND CONSOLIDATE

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